

# MENTORED ROAD PRACTICE SUPPORT

## IN-VEHICLE PROGRESS CHECKLIST FOR PARENT USE

### 2 L A N E R U R A L

- \_\_\_ pre-driving steps: door, mirrors, seatbelt
- \_\_\_ signal, mirror, head check pulling away
- \_\_\_ parking lot: check isles / right side of driveway
- \_\_\_ SIGNAL: turns / into curb / too soon / late
- \_\_\_ stop signs: complete stops / stopping point
- \_\_\_ INTERSECTIONS: check residential / second time  
analyzing / creeping up to see better
- \_\_\_ RIGHT TURN ON RED: full stop / more gap / slower
- \_\_\_ LEFT AT LIGHTS / slower / right of way / gap
- \_\_\_ LANE CHANGES: use proper mirror / head check  
don't drop speed / drifting / cancel signal
- \_\_\_ watch your following distance (3 seconds)
- \_\_\_ mirrors check more / quick glances / after turns
- \_\_\_ centered in lane (aim high in steering)
- \_\_\_ AWARE RIGHT LANE IS ENDING / change lanes (sooner)
- \_\_\_ check blind spot when other lane is ending
- \_\_\_ BRAKE SOONER: for red lights / brake lights ahead
- \_\_\_ SEEING & UNDERSTANDING SIGNS / flashing yellow
- \_\_\_ identifying hazards sooner / keep eyes moving
- \_\_\_ SPEED: too fast / residential / highway  
adverse road, weather conditions / construction  
consistent / slow down more before turns
- \_\_\_ coasting at stale green light (sooner / later)

\_\_\_\_\_ MANEUVERS: 3 pt. turn / back around corner  
angle, straight-in parking  
hill parking / GOOD

\_\_\_\_\_ others:

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R E S I D E N T I A L lesson # 1

work with parents on:

\_\_\_\_\_ others:

- \_\_\_\_\_ signal, mirror and head check pulling away
- \_\_\_\_\_ parking lot: check isle intersections / slower
- \_\_\_\_\_ use turn signals / use right side of driveway
- \_\_\_\_\_ SMOOTH ACCELERATING & BRAKING (softer on pedals)
- \_\_\_\_\_ foot on brake when shifting / gap selection
- \_\_\_\_\_ stay on your side of street / drifting in lane
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2 hands higher on wheel rim / right of way
- \_\_\_\_\_ **TURNS:** hand over hand / slower / turn recovery
- \_\_\_\_\_ right: too wide / sharp / square off left turns
- \_\_\_\_\_ speed limit / school / brake sooner / go slower
- \_\_\_\_\_ **STOP SIGNS:** complete stops / brake sooner
- \_\_\_\_\_ stop at stopping point, then ease up to see better
- \_\_\_\_\_ **INTERSECTIONS:** analyze accurately at mid-block
- \_\_\_\_\_ analyze them out loud with parents at home
- \_\_\_\_\_ check them every time / sooner / second time
- \_\_\_\_\_ keep eyes moving - quick glance at corners

ease up to see better at blind intersections  
slow at uncontrolled intersections - use brake

\_\_\_\_\_ **3 POINT TURNAROUND** GOOD / practice more

- signal pulling over / stay off curb
- signal, mirror, head check left
- look back backing up / don't hit curb
- shift gears / check for traffic

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## 4 LANE HIGHWAY & LANE CHANGING

work with parents on:

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\_\_\_ lock door, adjust mirrors, seatbelt (back seat too)

\_\_\_ signal, mirror & head check pulling away

\_\_\_ in parking lot: check isle intersections / slower

\_\_\_ stay on right side of driveway when exiting

\_\_\_ turn signals into / away from curb (late)

\_\_\_ signal for turns: forgetting (too soon / late)

\_\_\_ CHECK INTERSECTIONS / analyze accurately / twice

\_\_\_ check for cars after light turns green before going

\_\_\_ stop signs: complete stops / stopping point

\_\_\_ TURNS: hand over hand / turn recovery / at lights

\_\_\_ gap selection / slower / into proper lane

\_\_\_ **LANE CHANGES:**

- mirror: don't forget it / use outside left mirror

- don't drop speed / some drifting during head check

- don't forget head check / cancel signal (sooner)

- change more smoothly - slight turn of wheel

\_\_\_ right turn on red: complete stop / stopping point

\_\_\_ seeing / understanding road signs / right of way

\_\_\_ **MIRRORS**: more checks: quick glances / after turns

\_\_\_ NOT CENTERED IN LANE "aim high in steering"

\_\_\_ aware that your lane is ending (change sooner)

\_\_\_ SPEED: residential / highway / adverse conditions

\_\_\_ Blind spot awareness: don't linger in theirs

\_\_\_ keep yours open / check when other lane is ending

\_\_\_ brake sooner / notice red or brake lights sooner

\_\_\_ coast at stale green light / keep 3 sec. interval

\_\_\_ **BACKING AROUND CORNER**: GOOD / practice more

\_\_\_ 3 pt. turn: GOOD / signal, mirror, head check left

\_\_\_ don't hit curb / correct procedure / practice more

\_\_\_\_\_ CHECK BEHIND YOU BEFORE OPENING CAR DOOR!

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F R E E W A Y      Student / Parent Progress report

- \_\_\_ others:
- \_\_\_ lock door, adjust mirrors, seatbelt (back seat too)
- \_\_\_ signal, mirror & head check away / into curb / turns
- \_\_\_ check parking lot / residential intersections (sooner)
- \_\_\_ complete stops / stopping point / RESIDENTIAL SPEED
- \_\_\_ LIGHTS: left turns: move up more / car wheels straight
- \_\_\_ right on red: full stop / stopping point / gap selection
- \_\_\_ **MERGING:** centered on ramp / increase speed / signal early, final head check / gap selection / drifted over
- \_\_\_ **EXIT RAMP:** cancel signal, slower / centered on ramp
- \_\_\_ Lane changing: use inside / left mirror / drifting
- \_\_\_ forgot head check / don't drop speed / cancel signal
- \_\_\_ BLINDSPOTS: stay out of theirs / keep yours open
- \_\_\_ MIRRORS: check more on expressways / quick glances
- \_\_\_ not centered in lane / keep a 3 sec. interval
- \_\_\_ **EXPRESSWAY SPEED:** too fast / slow / adjust for hills
- \_\_\_ brake sooner / aware of brake / red lights ahead
- \_\_\_ coast approaching stale green light / slower turns
- \_\_\_ **UP AND DOWNHILL PARKING** (keep practicing)
- \_\_\_ 3 PT. TURN / BACK AROUND CORNER: good / practice more
- \_\_\_ CHECK BEHIND YOU BEFORE OPENING CAR DOOR!

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## C I T Y D R I V I N G and P A R K I N G

\_\_\_ others:

- \_\_\_ lock door, mirrors, seatbelt (back seat too)
- \_\_\_ signal, mirror, head check pulling away / into curb  
(IMPORTANT)
- \_\_\_ CHECKING INTERSECTIONS: analyzing accurately  
creep up at blind corners - a vehicle was coming!
- \_\_\_ **RIGHT OF WAY:** they had it / you had it  
pedestrians had it (look for them)
- \_\_\_ LEFT TURN: move up / more gap / yield / slower
- \_\_\_ lane position: before / after turn / not centered
- \_\_\_ RIGHT TURN: into proper lane / slower / recovery
- \_\_\_ right on red: full stop / stop point / yield
- \_\_\_ COMPLETE STOPS / stopping point: sidewalk / line
- \_\_\_ turn signals / forgot / too soon / too late
- \_\_\_ LANE CHANGES: use left, right mirror / head check  
don't drift over / dropped speed / cancel signal
- \_\_\_ coasting at stale green light (sooner / later)
- \_\_\_ pay attention / too close to parked cars
- \_\_\_ brake sooner for brake or red lights ahead
- \_\_\_ SPEED LIMIT: 5 over / 6-10 over / more than 10  
adverse conditions / construction / watch changes
- \_\_\_ slower in busy city areas / blind spot awareness
- \_\_\_ SEE SIGNS / aware lane is ending / change sooner
- \_\_\_ watch your following distance / SOFTER ON PEDALS

- \_\_\_ MIRRORS: more checks / quick glances/ after turns
- \_\_\_ RR TRACKS: no check (late) / both ways / SLOWER!
- \_\_\_ ONE WAY STREETS: must use left lane for left turn  
get all the way over to the left lane for turn
- \_\_\_ IN PARKING LOT: signal / check isles / slower  
tap horn at back-up lights / right side of driveway
- \_\_\_ **ANGLE & STRAIGHT-IN PARKING: GOOD** practice more  
signal / swing out before entering / enter slower  
hit cement barrier / wheels crooked when stopped  
not centered in space / look back while backing  
confused which way to turn wheels when backing out  
check or clear car next to you when backing out  
before turning wheels / remember to shift gears
- \_\_\_ **PARALLEL PARKING** GOOD / keep practicing
- \_\_\_ HILL PARK / BACK AROUND CORNER: GOOD / practice

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## USE BEFORE FINAL TEST

### work with parents on:

- \_\_\_ signal into / away from curb
- \_\_\_ signal, mirror & head check pulling away
- \_\_\_ COMPLETE STOPS / proper stopping point
- \_\_\_ proper turns / slower turns / gap selection
- \_\_\_ AT LIGHTS: move up / turn into proper lane
- \_\_\_ CHECKING / ANALYZING INTERSECTIONS (sooner)
- \_\_\_ creep up to see better at blind intersections
- \_\_\_ right of way: they / pedestrians / you had it
- \_\_\_ IN PARKING LOT: checking isles / go slower
- \_\_\_ stay on right side of driveway when exiting
- \_\_\_ RR TRACKS: no check / late / both ways / slower
- \_\_\_ LANE CHANGING: signal / use right / left mirror
- \_\_\_ no head check / drifted / dropped speed / cancel it
- \_\_\_ right turn on red: full stop / not allowed!
- \_\_\_ TURN SIGNALS: forgot / late / notice road signs
- \_\_\_ aware lane is ending / change lanes (sooner)
- \_\_\_ coasting at stale green lights (sooner)
- \_\_\_ ONE WAY STREET: use left lane for left turn
- \_\_\_ MIRRORS: more checks / after turns
- \_\_\_ brake sooner: brake lights / red lights ahead
- \_\_\_ SPEED LIMITS / slower turns / following distance
- \_\_\_ 3 pt. turn: signal, mirror, head check left
- \_\_\_ get closer to curb / don't hit curb / look back
- \_\_\_ back around the corner: too wide / up on curb
- \_\_\_ angle parking / straight in parking: no signal
- \_\_\_ swing out before entering / not centered in space
- \_\_\_ wheels crooked / look back backing up / go slower
- \_\_\_ check / clear car next to you before turning wheels
- \_\_\_ depth perception / remember to shift gears
- \_\_\_ uphill parking: wheels left, roll into curb
- \_\_\_ put into park / set brake
- \_\_\_ - SIGNAL / MIRROR / HEADCHECK AWAY (important)

\_\_\_\_\_ downhill parking: wheels right / roll into curb  
shift to park, set brake / wheels left pulling away

\_\_\_\_\_ LACKS CONFIDENCE - needs more practice at home

\_\_\_\_\_ ATTITUDE:

\_\_\_\_\_ MAJOR MISTAKE / DANGEROUS ACTION:

\_\_\_\_\_ others: